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SUBJECT: BURUNDI FONMIN GOES TO KAMPALA

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1. GRB NEWS MEDIA ANNOUNCED DEPARTURE FONMIN SIMBANANIYE JULY 10 FOR FOUR DAY VISIT KAMPALA, CARRYING MESSAGE FROM MICOMBERO TO AMIN. UNDERSTAND FROM BBC BROADCAST JULY 12 THAT AMIN HAS PROMISED "SUPPORT" IN MOVING BURUNDI GOODS, PRESUMABLY THROUGH UGANDA TO MOMBASSA.

2. THERE IS SOME CONJECTURE HERE THAT SIMBANANIYE WILL PROCEED DIRECTLY FROM KAMPALA TO DAR IF WARRENTED BY RESULTS VTB-TANU TALKS ON ENDING BLOCKADE AND IF GOT INDICATES WILLINGNESS RECEIVE HIM.

3. COMMENT: EMBASSY ASSUMES THOSE CONCERNED ARE FULLY AWARE PRACTICAL AND POLITICAL PROBLEMS OF MOMBASSA ROUTE AS CONFIDENTIAL

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ALTERNATIVE TO KIGOMA-DAR. WHETHER TRYING TO PUT PRESSURE

ON NYERERE VIA AMIN IS USEFUL PLOY SEEMS MOOT QUESTION.

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